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1. THE NEXT DC/FF/CBR-D WORKING GROUP CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD 30 NOV - 01 DEC 05 AT THE SHERATON NORFOLK WATERSIDE HOTEL, 777 WATERSIDE DRIVE, NORFOLK, VA. THIS EVENT AFFORDS NAVAL PERSONNEL THE OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS RELEVANT POLICY, DOCTRINE, AND EQUIPMENT ISSUES COVERING THREE SUBJECT AREAS: DAMAGE CONTROL, FIRE FIGHTING, AND CBR-D. MAXIMUM PARTICIPATION IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED.

2. REGISTRATION FOR THE CONFERENCE CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED VIA THE WEB AT [DCFFWG.NAVY.MIL](http://DCFFWG.NAVY.MIL). INFORMATION PERTAINING TO ACCOMMODATIONS, DIRECTIONS, AS WELL AS AGENDA ITEMS CAN BE FOUND ON THE WEB SITE. CONFERENCE FEES WILL BE CHARGED FOR EACH PARTICIPANT AS FOLLOWS:

- A. ACTIVE DUTY MEMBERS \$25.00
- B. GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES \$60.00
- C. CONTRACTORS \$200.00

3. ACTION ITEMS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO RESPECTIVE TYCOMS VIA THE WEB SITE. ALL FLEET PERSONNEL ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT ACTION ITEMS REGARDLESS OF PARTICIPATION IN THE DC/FF/CBR-D WORKING GROUP. THE WEB SITE INCLUDES A LIST OF TITLES OF ALL THE OUTSTANDING ACTION ITEMS CATEGORIZED BY DC/FF/CBR-D. RECOMMEND THOSE DESIRING TO SUBMIT NEW ACTION ITEMS REVIEW THE WEB SITE TO PRECLUDE DUPLICATION. ACTION ITEM SUBMISSIONS REQUIRE ALL DATA FIELDS TO BE ANNOTATED. TYCOM POC'S WILL REVIEW AND FORWARD ACTION ITEMS TO NAVSEA/WORKING GROUP CHAIRS FOR CONSIDERATION.

4. A HIGHLIGHT OF THE DC/FF/CBR-D WORKING GROUP CONFERENCE IS THE PRESENTATION OF THE HOMER W. CARHART AWARD, HONORING THAT INDIVIDUAL SERVING IN AN AFLOAT BILLET WHOSE CONTRIBUTIONS TO DAMAGE CONTROL AND FIRE FIGHTING MERIT SPECIAL RECOGNITION

BY THE SAFETY AND SURVIVABILITY COMMUNITY. NOMINATIONS FOR THIS PRESTIGIOUS AWARD SHOULD BE SENT VIA RESPECTIVE TYCOM USING THE CRITERIA OUTLINED IN THE REFERENCE. NOMINATIONS ARE DUE TO THE FOLLOWING TYCOM POC'S NLT 01 NOV 05:

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5. REQUEST WIDEST DISSEMINATION.//